

STATE OF IOWA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE: GUTHRIE TELECOMMUNICATIONS NETWORK, INC.	DOCKET NOS. TCU-01-4 TF-01-277
	CERTIFICATE NO. 0240

CERTIFICATE

(Issued October 5, 2001)

On April 30, 2001, the Utilities Board (Board) issued an order granting an application for a certificate of public convenience and necessity, pursuant to Iowa Code § 476.29 (2001), to Guthrie Telecommunications Network, Inc. (Guthrie). In the order, the Board approved the concurrence of Guthrie in certain exchange maps of Iowa Telecommunications Services, Inc., d/b/a Iowa Telecom (Iowa Telecom), and stated that Guthrie would be issued a certificate when it had obtained an approved tariff on file with the Board.

On September 6, 2001, Guthrie filed a proposed tariff that contained the terms, conditions, and rates for local exchange service and listed the exchanges where Guthrie intended to provide service. The proposed tariff has been identified as Docket No. TF-01-277. An order approving the proposed tariff and issuing a certificate is being issued concurrently with this certificate. Since Guthrie will have an approved tariff to provide local exchange service, the Board will issue Certificate

No. 0240 authorizing Guthrie to provide local exchange service in the Iowa Telecom exchanges.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

This certificate of public convenience and necessity, issued pursuant to Iowa Code § 476.29 (1) (2001), authorizes Guthrie Telecommunications Network, Inc., to furnish local telephone service in the exchanges as shown by its tariffs as currently and subsequently approved.

UTILITIES BOARD

/s/ Allan T. Thoms

/s/ Diane Munns

ATTEST:

/s/ Judi K. Cooper
Executive Secretary

/s/ Mark O. Lambert

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 5th day of October, 2001.